

## Old Family Journal.

November 1, 1893.

## Public Sales.

Nov. 3.—Trustee's Sale by Cleon Moore of House and Lot in Charles Town.

Nov. 10.—Sale of City Electric Light Company's bonds.

Nov. 24.—By Wm. H. Travers and Cleon Moore, Special Commissioners, House and Lot in Charles Town.

Nov. 24.—Sale by Cleon Moore, Trustee, of House and Lot.

For dress goods see Palmbaums.

Diamond dyes, all shades, at Aisquith &amp; Co.'s.

Wall paper, 200 styles to select from, at Beard's.

Curtain poles and fixtures 20 cents, or sold separately, at Beard's.

Wells Richardson's celebrated butter color for sale at Aisquith &amp; Co.'s.

The county court will meet November 6; the circuit court November 21.

For blankets, comforts, flannels, shawls, underwear and gloves see Palmbaums.

The town council of Shepherdstown has exempted its firemen from corporation tax.

Letters for Henry Baker, J. F. Hunt and C. H. Smith are advertised as in the Charleston postoffice.

Editor Crown, of the *Clarke Courier*, has been appointed postmaster of Berryville by the President.

Keep in mind that Beard, the stationer, will have a great many nice things for Christmas gifts.

Window shades made to order and hung without extra charge. Ten colors to select from, at Beard's.

"Kiss and Let's Make Up," and other new and popular songs and instrumental selections at Beard's.

Wanted.—Old China, Bric-a-brac, Relics, &amp;c. Address John Trebbig, 9 North Howard street, Baltimore.

Just received by M. Palmbaum &amp; Bro. a fine assortment of stamped linens and zephyr worsteds, also towels, napkins, etc.

Mr. Thomas Winebrenner, a well-known resident of Berkeley county, died at his home recently. He was 75 years old.

For coughs, colds or any affection of the throat and lungs try Compound Syrup of White Pine and Tar, prepared by Aisquith &amp; Co.

A letter to the *Clarke Courier* from the University of Virginia names C. E. Ambler, of Charles Town as one of the hard students at the University.

"Capt. Manning," a horse bred at "Vinton" stock farm, near this town, won the leading race at Pimlico course, near Baltimore, last Thursday.

"Official History of the World's Fair," price \$2.75 to \$4.25 per copy, sold only by subscription. Miss Mary H. Cockrell has secured the agency for this country.

Mr. Eylet Byers, a graduate of Shepherd College and a resident of Shepherdstown, has been appointed teacher of the public school at Medley, Grant county, and has entered upon his work.

There was an alarm of fire about 6 o'clock on Thursday morning which brought out the fire brigade. The cupola and part of the roof of the power house of the water works burned. Loss inconsiderable.

John Clem, tried in the United States Court at Martinsburg for selling liquor without license, was fined \$100 and costs and sentenced to 40 days in jail. He was credited with 45 days in jail, however, and discharged.

The United States Court at Martinsburg last week cost \$1,000, made up of the following items: Witness fees, \$514.30; jurors, \$304.40; marshal, \$123.60; bailiffs, \$29, and miscellaneous, \$81.75.

Cluett, Cohn & Co. received the highest award on shirts, collars and cuffs exhibited at the World's Columbian Exposition. For fuller statement see November number of *The Haberdasher and the Outfitter*. For sale by Geo. H. Hagley.

A young man named Marshall, from Sharpsburg, was pretty badly hurt last Monday at the Virginia ore bank, near Bakerton, this county. While he was at work getting out ore a bank of earth caved in on him, bruising him very badly about the head and body.

Four mules belonging to William Young, of Cumberland, and in the care of William Cramer, who is loading for his father, were thrown into the canal at Big Slack Water last week and drowned. The loss is placed at \$400. Mr. Cramer had the mules on trippage. —*Shepherdstown Register*.At Hagerstown Harry Zeller, because an article in the *Mail* was offensive to him, assaulted Editor Hamilton. He didn't succeed in licking the journalist, but came out second best besides being put under bond to appear at court. People sometimes forget that editors rank high as pugilists.

Last week, Mr. B. F. Johnson, who lives on Col. Porterfield's farm near Leetown, while watching for thieves in his orchard, saw a pretty large man come into the orchard, bag in hand, and mount a tree. Mr. Johnson fired and the man rolled out of the tree and ran off, leaving the bag behind.

Last Friday or Saturday a tramp was shot in the head by a boy with a cat rifle at Baker's line kiln, because his trampship insisted upon building a fire to boil some coffee, contrary to the express orders of the boy. The tramp was painfully but not seriously hurt, but the boy has been arrested and held for the grand jury. —*Advocate*.

Children Cry for

Mr. James McGraw, a successful merchant and highly-respected citizen of Harper's Ferry, died suddenly Monday morning at 6:45 o'clock. A dispatch to the *Baltimore Sun* says: "The deceased was a native of Limerick, Ireland. He came to Harper's Ferry and settled in 1854, and by strict attention to business and upright dealings with his patrons amassed considerable property. Mr. McGraw was well acquainted and had considerable business transactions with John Brown just prior to the Brown raid. Brown left his horse with him at the time of his capture to settle some indebtedness. He leaves one son, James C. McGraw, and two daughters, Misses Maggie and Katie. We must say to the credit of Mr. McGraw that he didn't know John Brown except as John Smith—for under the assumed name Brown was an almost daily visitor to Harper's Ferry and known as such to the editor of this paper. The funeral will take place at 9 o'clock Thursday morning—the services in St. Peter's Catholic Church.

Last Monday morning Thomas Garrison was in Longbeam's liquor saloon in this place, when the proprietor stepped out for a few moments. A couple of shot bags full of money—\$160 in all—lay upon a shelf behind the bar, and the sight of it proved a temptation that the unfortunate young man could not resist. He put the money in his pockets and slipped out the back way. Mr. Longbeam soon returned and missed the money. He started after Garrison, whom he soon overtook, and recovered it all. Longbeam then got out a warrant for Garrison's arrest. Recorder Chapline gave Garrison a preliminary hearing. He made no defense, and in default of bail was committed to jail at Charles Town to await the action of the grand jury. He claims that he was under the influence of liquor when he committed the act. —*Shep. Register*.

Mr. John W. Ware and wife on Thursday last celebrated their golden wedding. Few persons are permitted the pleasure of entertaining friends under such circumstances. We are informed that this was an occasion of real enjoyment to friends and neighbors, and especially so to the venerable couple who have faithfully kept the vows made a half century ago. The fiftieth anniversary was celebrated by a dinner that was fit for the gods. Among the guests, and we can only mention a few, were Rev. John Forester and wife, Col. John J. Grantham and wife, James A. Shirley and wife, John G. Shirley and wife, Joseph H. Easlerday and wife, Miss Lizzie Ware. The presents were numerous and appropriate, and the day was auspicious beyond expression in words.

Mr. Wm. Kahn and wife will take possession of their handsome new house on Main street, between Mildred and East streets, to-day. It is a commodious dwelling—seven or eight rooms, elegantly finished and furnished. It is replete with modern conveniences and appointments—gas, hot and cold water, closets, fire-places, porches, etc. The front is of pressed brick. The roof is of slate. There is hardly an omission of anything needful to comfort or even luxury. Mr. E. E. Beachley, the contractor, is entitled to credit for the excellency of the work upon this building and Mr. Kahn and his young wife are to be congratulated.

Inadvertently we omitted to mention the gift of a hundred dollars, in September, of Mr. Charles B. Rouss, of New York, to the Independent Fire Company of this town. It is not the first generous donation of Mr. Rouss to this company. We can assure him that he has thus aided a most efficient organization. Mr. Rouss's liberality to the fire laddies ought to commend him to the very high consideration of the insurance companies. There is hardly an organization in the great Valley of Virginia that has not been a beneficiary of the generosity of Mr. Rouss. In his younger days he must have gone out with the boys at the first cry of fire.

The formal opening of the new bridge across the Potomac at Brunswick (formerly Berlin), Maryland, took place on Saturday and was witnessed by five or six thousand people. Berkeley and Jefferson counties were largely represented. The Martinsburg City Band, twenty-five performers, was present. The town was gay with bunting and flags—private residences and places of business profusely decorated. The ceremonies began by a parade at two p. m. There was much speaking. At night the bridge was illuminated and fireworks from the centre of the structure. The bridge is 1,710 feet long, 16 feet wide. Cost \$82,000.

Mr. John H. Hill, principal of the colored public school in Shepherdstown, has been appointed assistant principal of the West Virginia State Colored School located near Charleston. The appointment is an excellent one, as Mr. Hill is highly qualified in every respect to fill the position. It may also be added that the Democratic party gives the colored man something more than promises. Our representative in the legislature, Hon. A. S. Dandridge, worked hard to secure the appointment for Mr. Hill. He will probably enter upon his duties within a month. —*Shepherdstown Register*.

The Harper's Ferry Sentinel thinks that whilst we indulged in sentiment in referring to this paper as the "Dear Old Free Press" that some of the patrons thereof might think we were discounting it, somewhat. It might have been sentiment—but it wasn't. I meant. There are, in a dollars and cents view, dear and cheap newspapers. In our sense THE FREE PRESS is not to be regarded as cheap—there's nothing shoddy about it.

We warn our esteemed friend, the editor of the *Charles Town Free Press*, against too much altercation with initial letters. He has got so many of 'em in his name he'd be kept very busy protecting them. Besides, we don't want to get into any discussion with him until we have finished our work on that other W. —*Shepherdstown Register*. Our friend of the *Register* is rather opposed to taking his own puppy.

Pitcher's Castoria.

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—Latest U. S. Gov't Report.

# Royal Baking Powder

## ABSOLUTELY PURE

## Personal.

Maj. W. H. T. Lewis spent several weeks in Chicago.

Mr. Herbert G. Knapp and bride returned on Monday afternoon.

Hon. A. S. Dandridge, of Shepherdstown, was in town on Monday.

Rev. A. S. Johns, of Rockville, Maryland, is a guest of Dr. E. L. Wager.

Misses Belle and Gertrude Snyder, of Summit Point, visited the World's Fair.

Mrs. Jasper, wife of Lt. Jasper, U. S. N., and daughter are at Capt. Flagg's for the winter.

Mr. Stuart Hirschman and wife, of New York, are visiting the family of Mr. S. Schloss.

Miss Lillie Hagley, a pupil of the Episcopal Institute at Winchester, spent Sunday at home.

Mayor Gustav Brown went to Baltimore on Monday. Business with Santa Klaus occasions his absence.

The Misses Timberlake, Gibson, Riddle and Miss Amelia Hopkins have returned from the World's Fair.

W. S. Kennedy, of this town, a few days ago was re-elected a director of the Washington County (Md.) Railroad.

Miss Ella Kerney, one of the bright young ladies of Shepherdstown, has started in to learn the art of typesetting in the *Register* office.

Misses Mallette and Chandler, of Washington City, who have been at Mr. C. Horace Gallaher's for a month past, returned home on Monday.

Rev. P. D. Stephenson, of Abingdon, Virginia, was a guest of Rev. Dr. Hopkins last week. He made an interesting report on Wednesday night of the proceedings of the Virginia Synod.

Mr. A. W. Cramer, who has been visiting his daughter in Nelson county, Virginia, and sons in Washington City, for some months past, returned on Monday night and is at Mr. C. Horace Gallaher's.

Mr. Herbert Osborn, of Shenandoah Junction, has been appointed principal of the public school at Moorefield. He is a graduate of Shepherd College, well equipped for the duties to which he has been called.

Mr. John A. Hopkins has made an engagement with J. A. Williamson, druggist, of Frederick, Maryland, as traveling salesman. The firm has in him secured an energetic and courteous representative. Mr. Hopkins left on Monday.

The new barn erected by Mr. Jacob Derr on the "Flowing Spring" farm of Mr. John Burns was made last Thursday. It is a Swiss or bank barn, conveniently located, a massive, complete structure, size 46x80 feet, and 25 feet from foundation to the square; will furnish stabling for sixteen horses and twenty six cattle; has mow room for over one hundred tons of hay, ample granary space, &c. The large company of nearly two hundred persons were sumptuously entertained at dinner. For this purpose two long tables were erected on the spacious lawn in front of the mansion house, and a tempting and plentiful array of the best edibles placed thereon. Mrs. John C. Burns fills the position of hostess with charming ease and grace, and Mr. Burns would not be a genuine chip of the old block were he other than a pleasant, genial host, extending a hearty welcome to all comers. —*Spirit*.

Mr. John W. Russell, Charles Town's popular tinner, has contracted through Mr. B. C. Washington, Jr., of Washington, to tin roof and spout the Allan residence near Gaylord, Clarke county, Va. Mr. Russell's reputation for first-class work is not only appreciated at home but his services are often sought for abroad. —*Advocate*.

The Martinsburg *World* on Saturday said: "Miss Jane Faulkner came up from Washington to superintend the moving of Senator Faulkner's goods to Boydsville. Mrs. Mary Faulkner is to take the Senator's present home and he will make Boydsville his home after next January, when the happy event of his wedding takes place."

Mr. Geo. W. Marlow continues to be the champion potato raiser, and out of his four or five hundred bushel crop brought us last week some elegant ones, which were but a fair sample of the whole. Mr. Marlow is not only a successful potato raiser, but a model farmer in every respect, and one of our best citizens. —*Spirit*.

Mr. F. M. Pennock, florist, has received a fine assortment of flowering bulbs—including hyacinths, tulips, Chinese sacred lilies, callas, crocuses, etc., and is prepared to plant out beds of the same for spring blooming at reasonable prices.

Dr. James Logie has purchased of Rev. Dr. Hopkins, for \$800, a lot 110 feet front east of Stephenson Seminary, and intends to erect thereon a handsome cottage.

The Jobe Factory property was not sold yesterday, the bid falling short of the value by hundreds of dollars. It will be offered again on court day—next Monday.

Mr. T. P. Lippitt contracted with the Loudoun County Fishing Club for the erection of a club house on the bluff opposite Sandy Hook, on the Potomac.

Judge Faulkner will hold a special term of the Jefferson Circuit Court next Friday.

## Church Notes.

Rev. Joseph Jones, of Clarke county, Va., preached in Zion (Episcopal) Church on Sunday.

Rev. H. P. Hamill preached at "Bethany" Sunday morning and administered the Communion of the Lord's Supper.

Rev. Dr. A. C. Hopkins preached in the Presbyterian Church Sunday morning and night, and at Kabetown in the afternoon. The next Quarterly Meeting for Charles Town station, M. E. Church, South, will be held Nov. 18 and 19; for Jefferson circuit Nov. 25 and 26.

## Arbor Day.

The State Superintendent of Free Schools having fixed the 10th of November as Arbor Day in West Virginia, I hereby request each teacher in the county to provide suitable services for that day and plant trees and otherwise ornament their school-yards by planting flowers, &c. Most of our school-yards are now well fenced. Look to it that they be properly kept and ornamented, so that the school surroundings shall be educative. Have some one to make a suitable address to the school on that day. A. A. P. NEEL, Co. Supt.

## DON'T TAKE POISON!

Cheap whiskies are a mild form of poison. Consumers are warned against their use. J. W. Harper's Nelson County Whiskey is a standard, high grade Kentucky Whiskey which reaches me direct from Kentucky, and whose purity I can conscientiously guarantee to those seeking a stimulant for medicinal or social use.

G. W. THOMAS,  
Charles Town, W. Va.

## Boys' School Suits.

We'll make Rome howl. We have placed on sale the following lots: 200 boys' nobby double-breasted suits, ages 4 to 14; twenty styles; will wear like iron. Our prices \$1 to \$3; worth from \$2 to \$5 per suit.

Perfect mountains of children's clothing running down as low as 75c. per suit, and as high as \$5 per suit. Bring the little tots around, and if we can't rig them from head to toe for much less cash than all others our name isn't.

WM. KAHN, Sadler Building.

Precise Maiden Aunt (trying to amuse Kate, who has come to spend the day)—Oh, see pussy washing her face.

Infant (with scorn)—She's not washing her face. She's washing her feet and wiping them on her face.

When Baby was sick, we gave her Castoria.  
When she was a Child, she cried for Castoria.  
When she became a Girl, she clung to Castoria.  
When she had Children, she gave them Castoria.

Bargains in dry goods at Hirschman's. Boys' and children's suits and overcoats by the hundred at Hirschman's.

Hirschman's is the place to deal—the cheapest house in town. They carry the largest stock and have the best-lighted room.

Our S. S. S. children's suits will never rip nor tear. Only to be had at Hirschman's. Try a suit the next time you have to buy one.

Special.—Our line of overcoats is the largest we have ever shown; the nicest made up garments you ever looked at.

S. D. HIRSCHMAN & Co.  
Don't forget when you need a carpet or oil cloth to come to Hirschman's carpet parlor. You can be suited in price in style.

Ladies wraps, the latest of the season, cannot be found elsewhere.  
S. D. HIRSCHMAN & Co.  
For your winter boots go to Hirschman's.

## MARRIED.

In Georgetown, Berkeley county, on Thursday, October 27th, 1893, by Rev. E. L. Wilson, Mr. WILLIAM E. TABB and Miss LUCY E. MCKOWN.

At St. John's M. E. Church, South, Piedmont, October 10, 1893, by Rev. George T. Tyler, assisted by Rev. J. O. Knott, Rev. W. F. LOCKE, pastor, to Miss DAISY E. JAMISON, of Westernport, Md.



## SAILED THE SEAS 38 YEARS.

## One of His Experiences.

For thirty-eight years Capt. Lord followed the sea, and on retiring from the water was appointed by the Secretary of the Seal Fisheries in Alaska, which position he held five years. He relates one experience as follows:

"For several years I had been troubled with general nervousness and pain in the region of my heart. My greatest affliction was sleeplessness; it was almost impossible at any time to obtain rest and sleep. Having seen time to obtain rest and sleep, I began using Nervine. After taking a small quantity the benefit received was so great that I was positively alarmed, thinking the remedy contained opiates which would finally be injurious to me; but on being assured by the druggist that it was perfectly harmless, I continued it together with the Heart Cure. Today I had been treated by eminent physicians in New York and San Francisco without benefit, or by Dr. Miles Medical Co., Elkhart, Ind., on receipt of price, \$1 per bottle, or six bottles for \$5 express prepaid. They are free from all opiates and dangerous drugs."

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Ever placed under any roof in the Valley of Virginia. Our facilities now are more than doubled and we can assure our patrons that the stock we now carry cannot be excelled by any house in the Valley.

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Of the very latest productions of Fall and Winter Fine Ready-Made Clothing, which we have just purchased from hard-up manufacturers at 50 cents on the dollar for spot cash. Bring a \$10 note our store and take \$20 worth of Clothing for it.

## SAVE TIME.

Both time and money together with annoyance and disappointment may be saved by an early call on

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LEADING CLOTHIER,

SADLER BUILDING.

Sept. 20, 1893.

## JUST RECEIVED

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FOR

## FALL &amp; WINTER.

Also Flannels, Blankets, Comforts, Underwear, Hosiery.

Prices Lower than Ever.

M. PALMBAUM &amp; BRO.

## ATTENTION, FARMERS!

We offer you this Fall our Fertilizers as follows:

Shenandoah, Special Mixture, Ober's Farmer's Standard, Ober's South Carolina, Zell's Economizer, Zell's Dissolved Bone Phosphate, Rasin's Dissolved South Carolina, Walker's Dissolved South Carolina, Pure Ground Bone, Pure Dissolved Animal Bone, Pure Ground Fish, Nitrate of Soda, Muriate and Sulphate of Potash, Kainit.

We have our Fertilizer, "Shenandoah" and "Special Mixture," prepared by G. Ober & Sons Co., of Baltimore, and we guarantee every bag to come up to the Analysis. Ober's South Carolina is put in sacks treated with Lime, and you will have no trouble with rotten sacks.

Please give your orders as early as possible. Washington & Alexander.

July 12, 1893—3m.

## Music Lessons.

Madam and Miss Bertha Ruhl will resume their class in Vocal and Instrumental Music Sept. 11th, 1893, at their residence on the corner of Samuel and Liberty streets, and any one wishing Vocal or Instrumental Lessons will save time and money by taking from them. They will teach Vocal in class and special, and Instruments as follows: Piano, Organ, Violin, Guitar and Banjo. Also Sight Reading, Treble and Harmony. Terms in private. Sept. 6, 1893.

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you will find choice styles and all the new shades. Plain black and colored Silks, Grenadines, Laces and Drapery Nets. In

## WASH DRESS GOODS

we have entirely new things for the season.—Our

## MILLINERY DEPARTMENT

is complete with stylish headwear. Matings, Oil Cloths, Carpets, Lace Curtains and Window Shades in abundance, with low prices.

Yours truly,

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May 3, 1893.

## HENRY DUMM'S NEW STORE ROOM

Has been made by Santa Claus the Charles Town Depository for

## CONFECTIONERY, FRUITS, CAKES, FANCY NOTIONS AND TOYS.

This Christmas stock exceeds any that has gone before, and all tastes can be accommodated

## Fruit Cakes a Specialty.

Oysters Fresh, Daily, and in quantities to suit customers.

Henry Dumm.

Dec. 14, 1892.

## SPRING NOVELTIES AND STYLES FOR THE SUMMER SEASON.

## BROWN, THE JEWELER, HAS JUST RECEIVED THEM.

## TO REAL ESTATE OWNERS.

Having arranged with a gentleman in England to push the claims of this section for farming, manufacturing and residence. I wish to obtain descriptions from owners in this District and State at large of such property as they wish to sell. The regular commission will be charged if a sale is effected. Those who wish description forwarded abroad must remit \$1.00 to cover extra expenses. Forms and particulars sent on request.

## Arthur Davenport,

Charles Town, Jefferson County, West Virginia.

My Agent has been very successful in sending purchasers to Piedmont, Virginia, in past years. The names of those willing to take farm pupils and boarders, with terms per month or year, also desired.

Aug. 23, 1893.

## J. H. NOLAND,

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Agent for the Celebrated

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Also for the Newly &amp; Evans and the Davis &amp; Son Pianos—fully warranted and endorsed by the Stieff House.

First-class Organs and Second-Hand Pianos at all prices. Terms and prices to suit purchasers. It will be to your interest to see me, or write, before purchasing.

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—An arrangement by which an accompaniment can be played upon the Piano or Organ, in any key, endorsed by musicians; can be learned in one hour. Price \$1.00. A limited number of orders will be taken at 75 cents, to introduce it. Liberal discount to agents.—Write for territory.

July 5, 1893.

## For Sale.

Window-shades, blinds, doors, etc., of the old Methodist Church. Apply at this office. June 7, 1893.

## THE BULK

Of our notable Fall Stock is in. The distressing hard times have not discouraged the

## Temple of Fashion,